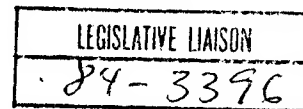




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This is in response to your request for written justification for the request by Ellen Laipson, Specialist in Middle East and North African Affairs at CRS, to receive a copy of an April 1984 report entitled "Morocco and the United States: Security Cooperation after Three Years". Ms. Laipson is the Foreign Affairs and National Defense Division's primary analyst on North African affairs, and has responsibility for monitoring U.S. relations with the North African states for congressional clients. Her request is for general background purposes; it is not related to any pending research project. In that regard, she is willing to receive the report on a read and return basis, and will not retain it in Library files.

Thank you for your cooperation in this matter.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Mark M. Lowenthal".

Mark M. Lowenthal

Head, Europe, Africa and Middle East
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